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On Behalf Of: We The People
Committee: House Committee On Judiciary
Measure: HB2572

Dear Lawmakers,

I urge you to vote NO on HB-2572. This bill could be more supportable if it had language added to it that said it would be illegal to function in a militia/deploy a militia (sorry but it's not meaning the national guard but an orderly and law abiding constitutional protecting group of private citizens) if its purpose is to disrupt a lawful government proceeding or break constitutionally protected laws and ordinances and the militia is in the commission of such a crime. The way this bill is written right now it is not only unconstitutional and infringing on our rights to organize and protect ourselves from the government (sorry but that takes weapons in common usage by the federal army [read the federalist papers for a proper education on the second amendment]), but it is also fully written as a political tool to go after conservative protesters/Oregonians meanwhile letting the likes of Antifa/BLM still remain untouchable while engaging in "mostly" peaceful "protest" which consists of assaults/harrassment/public menacing on Oregonians that look conservative, Oregonians that are trying to drive on the roads, and all makes of law enforcement. Let's not forget the wake of destruction that the left leaning paramilitaries/militias/mobs leave in their wake during their "mostly" peaceful protesting. How about also adding to the weapons category mace/loaded bottles/body fluids/skate boards/clubs/sticks/city signs/rocks/bricks/tire irons/tools/lasers/helmets/umbrellas/knives/ninja stars/brass knuckles so you can cover the left leaning groups that like to interfere in government proceedings, actual peaceful protests, traffic right ways on roads/interstates, and law enforcement instruction/enforcing to maintain order.

If you do/add these things mentioned above then you will show that you are making this bill with the best of intentions and are actually worried about a functioning government, the laws, public safety, law enforcement, and threats to government and the public. Do it not and we see this and you for exactly what it is and what you are and that's a hypocritical partisan politician. Until amendments are made i implore you to vote NO on HB-2572. Thank you.